

Boston City Council Notice of Public Hearing

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Monday, April 28, 2014

The Boston City Council's Committee on Housing will hold a public hearing on Friday, May 2, 2014 at 11:00 AM. The hearing will be held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber on the Fifth Floor of Boston City Hall. The subject of the hearing is two dockets:

Docket #0136, Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend FY13 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Fair Housing Assistance Program Grant funds awarded to the Boston Fair Housing Commission for the purpose of conducting investigations, educating the public, engaging in activities that reduce impediments to housing choice, and as payment for the BFHC'S FY13 investigatory work pursuant to the BFHC/HUD Fair Housing Assistance Partnership (FHAP) agreement all for a total amount of One Hundred Seven Thousand, Nine Hundred and Twenty Four Dollars (\$107,924.00).

Docket #0367, Message and order authorizing the Boston Fair Housing Commission to accept and expend U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Fair Housing Partnership Program grant in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) to the Boston Fair Housing Commission to conduct a housing discrimination testing program in partnership with Suffolk University Law School.

Both dockets were sponsored by Mayor Martin J. Walsh. Docket #0136 was referred to the Committee on Housing on January 15, 2014. Docket #0367 was referred to the Committee on Housing on February 26, 2014.

Members of the public are cordially invited to attend and testify. If you have not previously testified at a hearing of the Boston City Council, please arrive five (5) minutes before the call of the hearing to sign in and become familiar with the hearing format, testimony locations, and sound system. Please bring fifteen (15) copies of any written documentation you wish to present at the hearing. If you know of others who may be interested in this hearing, kindly notify them.

Written comments may be made part of the record and available to all Councilors by sending them by e-mail, fax, or mail to arrive prior to the hearing. Please use the contact information below for all purposes related to this hearing.

NOTICE: The Boston City Council may have a quorum in attendance due to standing committees of the City Council consisting of both voting and non-voting members. However, members attending this duly posted meeting are participating and deliberating only in conjunction with the business of the standing committee.

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